



School of Earth Sciences

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School of Earth sciences scholarship Announcement 2015/16

Objectives of the program

DAAD, as a publicly funded, self-governing organization of the institutions of higher education in Germany, promotes international educational co-operation with developing countries through a variety of funding and scholarship programs. In-Country/In-Region postgraduate Scholarship Program at Addis Ababa university in school of earth sciences aims at the development of academically trained earth science specialists that could contribute towards capacity building of the nation. This scholarship Program is funded by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development and seeks to strengthen and expand DAAD's regional network of high-quality academic partners offering development-related Master and/or PhD studies which are geared towards capacity building and strengthening of teaching and research staff.

It DAAD's 2015/16 In-Country/ In region postgraduate scholarship program the school of earth sciences has received a preliminary grant notification for 6 PhD and 4 Masters students. Accordingly the school of earth sciences at Addis Ababa University hereby announce a scholarship opportunity in collaboration with German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) in the following filed of studies: **Hydrogeology, Geophysics and Tectonics: and the other fields available at school.**

Eligible Applicants

Applicants have to:-

1. Have completed their last degree less than six years ago at the time of application
2. Have Bachelor's and / or Master's degree qualification with at least above average results
3. Citizens of East African country

In addition, the applicant must fulfill the following to be considered:

1. The applicant must have a B.Sc. degree in geology and related fields
2. Has admission and registered in the school of earth sciences postgraduate program at the time of application
3. The last university degree must have been completed less than six years ago at the time of application.
4. The applicant should write a personal statement/motivation letter describing the candidate's interest to join the program.
5. For PhD scholarships: Staff member of a public or private university (or candidate considered for teaching or research staff recruitment)
6. Research proposal (10-15 pages) and one page proposal abstract for PhD applicant
7. The scholar should have two letters of recommendations of advisors/ supervisors from previous educational institutions.
8. Bachelor's and / or Master's degree qualification with at least above average results

Female candidates and candidates from less privileged regions or groups as well as candidates with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply.

Eligible Fields

Candidates can apply in the area of Hydrogeology, Geophysics, tectonics or related fields

Place of Tenure

The scholarships are tenable at the Addis Ababa university school of earth sciences

Duration and commencement

Scholarships are available for up to a maximum of two years (Master) and a maximum of three years for PhD. The scholarship will be initially granted for one year and may be extended upon individual request and receipt of a complete application by using the provided form. The application for renewal has to be submitted at least one month before the scholarship period expires.

Application Procedure

The application papers must be submitted in an envelope mailed to the Addis Ababa University, school of earth sciences mail or the applicants could submit the softcopy to email address seifukebede@yahoo.com or t_mammo@yahoo.com or mulugeta_alene@yahoo.com dessienedaw@yahoo.com. Only complete applications from applicants who meet all

requirements will be accepted. The application will only be complete if the following documents are submitted together with the proper and accurate filled in and signed application form:

1. Filled and signed DAAD Application Form for In-Country/In-Region Scholarships(link to DAAD application form)
2. Signed curriculum vitae; please use the Euro-pass CV template(<http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu>)
3. A signed copy of DAAD Information Sheet for Students(link to DAAD information sheet form)
4. Certified copies of all university degree certificates
5. Certified copies of all university transcripts
6. Letter of motivation (Maximum 2 pages)
7. Two academic references from senior lecturer and proof of employment if applicable (original only)
8. Language proficiency certificate indicating applicant`s ability to complete a study conducted in English (TOEFEL or IELTS) if media of instruction in the past university education was not English.
9. Admission letter including in the school program

Please send a soft copy of these documents to applications@daadafrika.org.

Application Deadline

The application procedure for this scholarship will be done by School of Earth Sciences (Addis Ababa University) and DAAD following these timeline:

No	Activities	Deadline
1.	Deadline of Application	June 6 th
2.	Short List	June 19 th
3.	Final Selection	July
4.	Earliest starting date	September 1st

Download

1. DAAD Application form
2. DAAD Information sheet for scholars

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